

Student_____ Period_____.

American Government Essay

	2 pts	4 pts	6 pts	8 pts	10 pts
Introduction (Background Info), Thesis, Conventions, Works Cited and in-text	No introduction or thesis Filled with errors	Missing Intro or thesis Major errors	Weak Intro and thesis Moderate errors	Good Intro and thesis Minor errors	Great Intro and thesis Few, if any, errors
1st advantage the majority party in the HOR has in lawmaking	Shows no insight No explanation	Very little insight Weak explanation	Shows some insight Explanation is general	Moderate insight Explanation lacks detail	Expanded insight Explanation is clear, focused
2nd advantage the majority party in the HOR has in lawmaking	Shows no insight No explanation	Very little insight Weak explanation	Shows some insight Explanation is general	Moderate insight Explanation lacks detail	Expanded insight Explanation is clear, focused
Two differences between House and Senate rules	Shows no insight No explanation	Very little insight Weak explanation	Shows some insight Explanation is general	Moderate insight Explanation lacks detail	Expanded insight Explanation is clear, focused
How the different rules in each chamber may lead to passage in one but not the other	Shows no insight No explanation	Very little insight Weak explanation	Shows some insight Explanation is general	Moderate insight Explanation lacks detail	Expanded insight Explanation is clear, focused

Comments:

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